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For: PERPENDICULAR MAGNETIC RECORDING DISK AND MANUFACTURING  
METHOD THEREOF

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the  
accompanying pages.

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